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PART VI

PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENTS

FOREST DEPARTMENT

BANGALORE DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification dated 10th May 1935.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification dated 10th May 1935, calling for tenders for the construction of a Sandalwood Storage and working shed in the Sandal Koti, Bangalore, published on pages 1051-1052, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette* dated 16th May 1935.

Notification dated 22nd May 1935.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Sankey's Lodge, Malleswaram, Bangalore, up to 3 P.M. of 8th June 1935, for putting up expanded metal to the gable portion of the Rough Sandal Storage Shed at the Bangalore Sandal Koti. An approximate estimate of quantities is given below. These quantities are not guaranteed. The work should be completed before the end of June 1935.

2. The detailed estimates may be seen at the District Forest Office, Sankey's Lodge, Malleswaram, Bangalore, between the hours of 11 A.M., and 5 P.M. on working days.

3. The tenders should be submitted in the form given below, showing the rates at which the different items specified will be executed both in words and figures.

4. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rupees Fifty only in cash or currency notes, as earnest money, and be superscribed "Tender for putting up expanded metal to the gable portion of the Rough Sandal Storage shed at the Bangalore Sandal Koti," in default of which, tenders will be rejected.

5. The final acceptance of any tender will rest with the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, Bangalore, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender or to assign any reason whatever for the rejection of any tender.

6. Within eight days of the acceptance of the tender, the successful competitor will be required to execute the usual bond, in default of which, his tender will be cancelled, and the earnest money will be forfeited.

7. The name of the successful tenderer, whose tender has been accepted, will be posted on the Notice Board in the District Forest Office, Bangalore, in due course. No enquiries regarding the acceptance or rejection of a tender will receive any reply.

8. On acceptance of one of the tenders, the earnest money or rejected tenders will be returned.

9. The contractor will be dealt with in terms of the bond for any short progress or delay. In matters of all disputes about rates and measurements, quality of work, etc., and in all disputes of any kind, the decision of the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, will be final and legally binding on the contractor.

10. No claims for enhanced rates will be entertained on any account after acceptance of tenders.

11. Rates should be quoted both in words and figures for each item of work, and lumpsum provisions are subject to modification as per data worked out during the execution.

Abstract estimate of putting up expanded metal to the Gable Portion of the Rough Sandal Storage Shed at the Bangalore Sandal Koti.

Sl. No.	Details	Unit	Quantity	Rates	
				In figures	In words
1	Fixing the expanded metal to the openings with the given wood and reepers. *N.B.*—The rate offered should include the cost of nails, bolts, clamps, etc., and fixing charges of scantlings, metal in the height of 40′ to 50′ and also the wastage of cutting of metal.				
	1st Row both gables	S.ft.	196		
	2nd do	,,	180		
	3rd do	,,	168		
	4th do	,,	224		
	5th Centre gable portion	,,	98		
	Total ..		866		
2	Chocolate painting two coats as per trellis work both sides	Sqr.	11.55		

Notification dated 24th May 1935.

Tenders for Sole Agency for sale of Mysore Sandalwood in (1) Bengal, (2) Bihar and Orissa, (3) Punjab, Cashmir and Frontier Provinces, (4) Rajaputana and Central Indian States, (5) Assam, (6) Baroda and (7) Delhi.

It is hereby notified for the general information of the public, that time for receipt of tender for Sole Agency for sale of Mysore Sandalwood in the areas specified above, notified as per notification, dated 8th May 1935, published on pages 1049-1050, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 16th May 1935, is extended up to 3 P.M., on the 4th June 1935, as 3rd June 1935 is declared a General Holiday on account of the Birthday of His Majesty the King Emperor of India, as per Government Order No. G. 10378—G.M. 161-34-2, dated 22nd May 1935.

H. S. NARAYANA RAO,
District Forest Officer.

TUMKUR DISTRICT.

Tender Notification dated 22nd May 1935.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Tumkur District, Tumkur, up to 2 P.M. on 11th June 1935, for the purchase of the exclusive right of collecting Thupra leaves on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrit Mahal Kavals,

State Forests, Reserved lands and Plantations for three years, *viz.*, 1934-37 from date of confirmation of the sale to 30th June 1937 in the following Taluks of the District, Talukwar.

(1) Gubbi Taluk.
(2) Chiknaikanhalli Taluk.
(3) Tiptur Taluk.
(4) Turvekere Sub-Taluk.
(5) Pavgada Taluk.

N.B.—Tender should be given for each Taluk unit separately together with separate earnest money deposit for each unit.

Each tender must be accompanied by an earnest money deposit of Rs. 50 in Currency Notes and solvency certificate obtained from the Amildar of the Taluk in which the tenderer resides, without which the tender will be rejected. Cover containing the tender should be sealed, addressed to the District Forest Officer, Tumkur District, Tumkur, duly registered, insured and superscribed "Tender for the purchase of Thupra leaves". The tenders will be opened by the District Forest Officer at 3 P.M. in the presence of such of the tenderers as may be present.

N.B.—Tenders not received in accordance with the above conditions will be rejected. If the tender is not accepted and confirmed by the authority concerned, all moneys paid will be refunded to the party.

For further particulars, please see the detailed notification published in the *Mysore Gazette* (Kannada Copy) for the week ending 31st May 1934, advertising the sale of the Thupra leaves of the District for 1934-37.

B. MADHAVA RAO,
District Forest Officer.

MYSORE DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification dated the 1st May 1935.

The attention of the public is hereby invited to the detailed notification dated the 27th April 1935 calling for tenders for the collection and carting of rough sandalwood and ground hidden roots and for preparation of assorted sandalwood at the Sandal Koti, Mysore, and transporting the sandalwood from Sandal Koti, Mysore, to the Sandalwood Oil Factory, Mysore, during the year 1935-36, published on pages 1052-1053 of Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette* dated 16th May 1935.

Abstract Notification dated 3rd May 1935.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed Notification published on pages 1055-1056, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette* dated 16th May 1935, regarding the sale of Timber at the following Depots.—

1.	Mysore Woodyard	27th May 1935.
2.	Manchegowdanahalli	28th May 1935.
3.	Nanjangud	4th June 1935.
4.	Santhemarahalli	28th May 1935.
5.	Chamrajnagar	5th June 1935.
6.	Periyapatna	24th May 1935.
7.	Hunsur	25th May 1935.
8.	Hommergalli and Hampapur	30th May 1935.
9.	Antharasanthe	31st May 1935.
10.	Saragur	1st June 1935.

Abstract Notification dated 13th May 1935.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed Notification dated 13th May 1935, calling for tenders for carting timber from the several Forest Coupes of Gundlupet and Hunsur Ranges to Depots in the Mysore District published on pages 1094-1095 of Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 23rd May 1935.

C. A. JABBAR,
District Forest Officer.

SHIMOGA FOREST DIVISION.

Notification dated the 17th May 1935.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of collecting grazing fees on cattle passing through Agumbe Toll-gate, Sacrebyle, Shankar and Hanagere State Forests, during 1935-36 will be sold by public auction on the dates and places noted below, subject to the following conditions :—

Place of sale	Date of sale	Sale conducting officer
1. Agumbe Travellers' Bungalow ..	24th June 1935 at 2 P.M. ..	Range Officer, Agumbe.
2. Sacrebyle Range Office ..	25th do do ..	Do Sacrebyle.
3. Anapinakatte Range Office ..	27th do do ..	Do Shankar.
4. Sirigere do ..	28th do do ..	Do Hanagere.

1. Each bidder should deposit Rs. 10 as earnest money with the sale conducting officer before he is permitted to bid and this deposit will, in the case of unsuccessful bidders, be returned to them at the conclusion of the sale.

2. The highest bidder should pay one-fourth of the sale purchase money at the close of the sale, less the initial deposit together with local, Railway and education cesses at one anna, three pies and six pies per rupee respectively on the entire sale amount ; failing which, the right will be resold forthwith at his risk forfeiting the amount already deposited.

3. The balance of the sale amount should be paid within ten days from the date of receipt of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale, failing which the right will be resold at the risk of the original purchaser, who shall not participate in any profit that may accrue. The deficit, if any, shall be recovered from him as a revenue demand.

4. The District Forest Officer reserves to himself the power to accept or reject the highest or any other bid without assigning any reason for the same.

5. The right-holder shall collect the grazing fees at the sanctioned rates, as noted below, for every head of cattle that passes at the Agumbe Toll Gate and Sacrebyle, Shankar and Hanagere State Forest.

(*i*) Buffaloes 1 anna per head.
(*ii*) Cows and Bullocks 6 pies per head.
(*iii*) Horse 1 anna per head.
(*iv*) Sheep 3 pies per head.

N.B.—Calves six months and under, are exempt from fee.

Arrangements will be made with the toll-gate contractors not to pass these cattle at the respective toll-gates till the stipulated fees are duly paid for and tickets obtained and affixed on the horns of cattle, in the case of Serial Nos. (*i*) and (*ii*).

6. The right-holder should make, his own arrangements to get these tickets of one anna, six pies and three pies face value printed as per sample form noted below, and stock sufficient supply of these tickets ready at both the stations. He should further make his own arrangements for any temporary sheds that may be required for the use of his men.

7. The right-holder shall by himself or his Agent, not levy, under any circumstances, rates other than those stipulated already. Any irregularity or complaint coming to notice shall render him liable to criminal prosecution, besides forfeiting his contract forthwith.

8. It will be bounden duty of all cattle owners who move their cattle through the above toll-gate and Forests to obtain tickets before allowing their cattle to pass through, failing which, they will be liable to criminal prosecution under the Forest Regulation or any other law in force.

N.B.—Public servants moving on duty are exempt from this levy.

9. The right-holder shall be bound to render satisfactory accounts to the Range Forest Officers, Agumbe, Sacrebyle, Shankar and Hanagere, and to present his books and tickets for examination by any Government Officer whenever he is called upon to do so.

10. The right-holder shall execute a bond within 15 days from the date of intimation of the confirmation of the sale on a duly stamped paper to abide by the foregoing conditions, and deposit Rs. 50 in the Government Savings Bank as security.

11. The District Forest Officer reserves the right of forfeiting the security amount either in whole or in part for the breach of any of the foregoing conditions and his decision will be final.

Form of Ticket.

1935-36.

Buffalo One anna.

Date .....
Station. *Contractor.*

1935-36.

Cow or Bullock Six pies.

Date .....
Station. *Contractor.*

1935-36.

Horse One anna.

Date .....
Station. *Contractor.*

1935-36.

Sheep Three pies.

Date .....
Station *Contractor.*

Notification dated 17th May 1935.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of grazing in the undermentioned Plantations of the Division, during the grazing season of the year 1935-36 will be sold by public auction on the dates and at the places specified against plantations at 8 A.M. on each sale date.

No.	Name of Taluk	Name of Plantation	Area	Date of sale	Place of sale	Name of sale conducting officer
1	Shimoga Taluk	Nagarbhavi ..	..	20th June 1935	Ayanur T. B. ..	Range Officer, Ayanur.
		Revenue plantation.	50	18th June 1935	Shimoga Koty ..	Officer in charge of Timber Depot, Shimoga.
		Alakola ..	216	18th June 1935	Do ..	Do
		Anapinakote ..	218	26th June 1935	Anpinakote ..	Range Officer, Shankar.

2. The successful bidder will be required to deposit twenty-five per cent of the purchase money soon after the sale is closed and to pay up the balance together with the Local cess at one anna per rupee, Education cess at six pies per rupee and Railway cess at three pies per rupee on the whole amount within seven days from the date of confirmation of the sale, failing which the depoit shall be forfeited to Government and the right resold at the risk of the first purchaser; who shall not however participate, in any gain but will make good any loss that may be sustained by Government by such resale, the deficit being recoverable as a revenue demand under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation. License to begin collection will be issued immediately after the confirmation of the sale and on the full payment of the sale amount together with the cesses thereon.

3. The purchaser shall not sub-let the harvesting without previous sanction of the District Forest Officer. When such sanction is accorded, the sub-lessee will be bound by all the terms and conditions of the sale jointly and severally with the original purchaser. The purchaser shall furnish a list of men allowed to enter the plantations, etc., to cut and remove grass and shall hold himself responsible for breach of any of the Forest Rules and for the occurrence of fire in the Plantations, etc., either on his part or on the part of his men, which will be dealt with under the provisions of the Mysore Forest Regulation. He shall deposit a sum equivalent to 10 per cent of the purchase money as security deposit for the due fulfilment of the lease and shall execute an agreement for that purpose.

4. The purchaser shall not scrape or dig the grass in the plantations, but shall only cut and remove it.

5. The grass crop in the plantations will be allowed to be only cut and removed between sunrise and sunset up to the end of the period stipulated.

6. The purchaser shall not interfere with any forest operation such as planting, sowing and felling that the Forest Department may wish to conduct in the leased area. Should any damage be cuased by such operations to the grass crop, he shall not be entitled to any compensation.

7. In the event of a breach of any of the conditions specified in the sale notice or agreement, the lease is liable to be cancelled, all the produce collected confiscated and a penalty not exceeding Rs. 25 levied and recovered as an arrear of land revenue by the District Forest Officer and the security deposit or part thereof forfeited.

8. Interest at 9 per cent will be charged on all belated payments from the date of the amount falling due.

RE-SALE OF BAMBOOS.

Notification dated the 20th May 1935.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of collection and removal of bamboos in the undermentioned forests of the Shimoga Division for the two Calendar years 1935 and 1936, will be re-sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer or any other Officer deputed by him on the date and place and subject to the conditions mentioned below at the risk of the original purchaser as he has failed to pay the sale amount as per sale conditions :—

Name of Range	Name of Forest	Description of Block	Minimum quantity to be purchased		Place of sale	Date of sale	Remarks
			Big bamboos	Small bamboos			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
(1) Sacrebyle ..	Sacrebyle ..	Coupe I compartment 1 to 7 whole forest.	50,000	1,00,000	District Forest Office, Shimoga.	8th June 1935 at 2 P.M.	The boundaries of working circle will be made known at the time of sale.

The sale will commence at 2 P.M., precisely, on each day, if it is not concluded on the same day and will be subject to confirmation of the District Forest Officer in case of bids of Rs. 1,000 and below and of the Conservator of Forests in other cases.

N.B.—It should be clearly understood that the contractor shall make his own arrangements for the removal of the bamboos, etc.

2. Each bidder shall before he is permitted to bid, be required to furnish a solvency certificate under the Thangadi Sale Rules and deposit a sum of Rs. 100 (one hundred) as earnest money with the officer conducting the sale. The deposit will be returnable to him at the close of the sale, if his bid is not accepted. The person whose bid is accepted, shall immediately after the close of the sale pay 50 per cent of the bid amount, less the deposit already paid together with the local cess at one anna (per rupee), railway cess at three pies (per rupee) and education cess at six pies (per rupee) on the full sale amount, failing which the right will be resold or worked by the department at the risk of the defaulting bidder. He will be liable for the loss, if any, that may result by such resale or departmental working, which will be recoverable from him as arrears of land revenue, but he shall not participate in any gain.

3. Defaulters to the department will not be allowed to bid at the sale.

4. The bamboos will be sold by number (*i.e.*, the bidders will have to bid at so much per 1,000 bamboos).

5. Power is reserved by the District Forest Officer or such other officer conducting the sale as may be deputed by the District Forest Officer, to accept or reject any bid without assigning any reason therefor.

6. Within a week from the date of intimation regarding the confirmation of the sale, the person whose bid is accepted, shall deposit as security a sum of Rs. 100 (one hundred) or 25 per cent of the sale amount, whichever is less, for each block as security towards the due fulfilment of the contract and execute necessary bond on a duly stamped paper of sufficient value, failing which the amount already paid will be forfeited to Government and the right re-sold at his risk *vide* clause (2) *supra*. He shall also pay on 1st January 1936, the remaining 50 per cent of the contract amount due by him. The security deposit or the balance thereof as may remain over shall be repayable to the contractor on his producing proof relieving him of any liability under the contract.

The following are the further conditions to which the contractor should bind himself :—

(*a*) That the bamboos shall be collected or stored outside the block at such place or places as may be fixed by the Range Officer concerned and allowed to be removed on check by him and after a permit to remove is issued. Removal without such permit will be an offence to be dealt with according to law.

(*b*) That the purchaser shall not cut bamboos outside the limits of the block to which the lease refers and not exploit immature clumps less than three years old.

(c) That the lessee will be personally responsibe for the acts of his agents, servants or coolies employed in the cutting, collection and removal of bamboos and for preventing the cutting of clumps under two years, by himself, his agents, servants or coolies.

(d) That he shall not sublet the contract to anybody or appoint any agent to work for him except with the written sanction of the District Forest Officer.

(e) That he shall have no right whatsoever over the block and over the bamboos paid for but left unremoved in any of the blocks after 31st December 1936.

(f) That he shall accept the minimum quantity fixed in the notification as available in the block concerned and shall have no claim on the department for any deficit that may be found. If he removes any quantity above the minimum fixed within the lease period, he shall pay for the excess quantity at auction sale rates together with cesses thereon.

(g) That he shall abide by such orders as the District Forest Officer may issue regulating the transport of bamboos to and collection at their rafting station.

(h) That he shall abide by the rules of the department as regards the kindling of fires and shall hold himself responsible for any forest offences committed by his agents, employees or workmen.

(i) That he or his men shall not enter the forest after sunset and before sunrise.

(j) That he shall maintain a register in the form prescribed by the District Forest Officer showing the number of bamboos removed and shall keep it open for the examination of Forest Officers above the grade of guards.

(k) That he understands that the sale does not prohibit the issue of retail licenses at the seigniorage rates or the exercise by the villagers of their rights in the Forests.

(l) That for any breach of any of the conditions of the contract by the contractor or his agents, the contract shall be void at the option of the District Forest Officer and that the latter, may, after issuing to the contractor a notice of cancellation of contract enforce forfeiture of all or any part of the deposit and shall resell the right or work it departmentally at the risk of the contractor as in clause (2) *supra*. If the deposit or part thereof is so forfeited, it shall be immediately made good by the contractor.

(m) Interest at 9 per cent will be recovered on all overdue payments.

Notification dated 20th May 1935.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of collecting and removing the canes in the undermentioned State Forests of the Shimoga Division for the year 1935-36 subject to the exercise of rights of villagers will be sold by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, or any other Officer deputed by him on the dates and at the places noted against each.

Sl. No.	Range	Name of Forest	Palce and date of sale	Officer conducting the sale
1	Agumbe Range ..	Whole Range (State Forests).	Agumbe T. B. 24th June 1935, Thursday	Range Forest Officer.

Each bidder should deposit Rs. 25 as earnest money with the sale conducting officer before he is permitted to bid and this will be returned in the case of unsuccessful bidders at the conclusion of the sale, less the earnest money already paid.

The successful bidder shall immediately after the sale, pay one-fourth of the sale amount together with Local cess at one anna per ruppe, Railway cess at three pies per rupee and Education cess at six pies per rupee on the entire amount of sale. In default, the right will be resold at his risk. If the deficit amount be not paid immediately, it will be recovered as arrears of land revenue.

Within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale, the accepted bidder shall pay the balance of the lease amount in full and enter into an agreement on a duly stamped paper of proper value obtained at his own cost, binding himself to the conditions specified hereunder.

The sale is subject to the confirmation by the District Forest Officer or the Conservator of Forests as the case may be.

The lessee shall deposit a sum of Rs. 50 for the fulfilment of the conditions of the contract in the shape of Government Savings Bank Deposit.

Conditions.

1. Canes should be extracted without injuring the roots of the clump. Tender ones should, on no account, be extracted.

2. At least three shoots in a clump should be left untouched.

3. The lessee or his agents or servants shall not injure any tree or other forest produce while collecting canes.

4. The lessee shall be held personally responsible for any damaging acts of his agents or servants during the collection of canes.

5. The lessee shall not sublet the contract without permission from the District Forest Officer.

Coolies employed by the lessee must take permits from the Range Officer when they enter forests for collection.

7. The produce should be removed from the limits of the Forests by the end of June 1936, under cover of pass-ports issued by the Range Officer.

8. The lessee shall be held personally responsible for the occurrence of fire in the Forest, if there is sufficient ground for the Department to think that it has been caused by his negligence or by the act of his employees.

9. The lessee shall keep and render accounts every month to the District Forest Officer of the produce collected and removed by him during the month. His account will be liable for the inspection of the Conservator of Forests or the District Forest Officer or any other Officer deputed by either of them.

In the event of the breach of any of the above conditions, the lease will be liable to be cancelled and the lessee fined to the extent of rupees fifty at the discretion of the District Forest Officer, in addition to forfeiture of the security deposit amount.

Interest will be charged on all belated payments at 9 per cent per annum.

[MOHAMED PIR,
District Forest Officer.

BHADRAVATI DIVISION.

SALE OF TIMBER.

Notification dated 25th May 1935.

The undermentioned quantities of timber will be sold by public auction under the following conditions at the following depots by the District Forest Officer, or any other Gazetted Officer deputed by him for the purpose on the dates noted below from 8 A.M. to 12 noon and 2 P.M. to 5 P.M.

Name of Depot	Description of timber				Date of Sale
	Teak	Honne	Bite	Other kinds	
	C.ft.	C.ft.	C.ft.	C.ft.	
Tarikere	10,000	1,000	500	2,000	17th June 1935.

The above quantities are only approximate.

N.B.—The timber pertaining to defaulters will also be resold at the risk of the original purchasers.

Conditions.

1. Each bidder shall place a deposit of Rs. 200 with the officer conducting the sale but defaulters to the Department will not be allowed to bid at the sales.

In the case of purchasers of timber in small quantities, full value thereof will be accepted if tendered on the spot and the payment of deposit in such cases will not be insisted upon.

2. Any person bidding at the sale may be required by the officer conducting the sale to state whether he is bidding on his own behalf or as an agent, and in the latter case, to produce a written authority duly signed by the principal.

3. The highest bidder shall ordinarily be the purchaser, but the officer conducting the sale can reject any bid or stop the sale at any stage without assigning any reason to the intending purchasers.

4. Immediately after the lot is knocked down to him, the successful bidder shall sign his name opposite the number and specification of the lot bought by him in a book provided for the purpose.

Such signature shall be held as admission on his part of having bought such lot and of having accepted the terms of the sale as herein specified. All sales of which the amount exceeds Rs. 1,000 in each case is subject to the confirmation of the Conservator and in other cases to that of the District Forest Officer.

5. After conclusion of the sale, each purchaser shall pay the full sale amount in cash excluding the earnest money deposited as per clause 1 supra to the officer conducting the sale and obtain in return from him a receipt vouching for the payment. Should any purchaser fail to comply with this rule, the initial deposit of Rs. 200 shall at once be forfeited to Government and the officer conducting the sale shall be at liberty to resell the timber purchased by such defaulter who shall be required to make good any loss, but shall not participate in any profit from such resale. The amount due by such defaulter on account of loss from resale shall be recovered from him as a revenue demand under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation. In calculating such losses, the initial deposit forfeited to Government shall not be taken into account.

In cases of resales for default of payment of value, where no bidders are forthcoming, it will be open to the District Forest Officer to fix such price as may appear to him to be reasonable and to proceed for the recovery from the defaulter of the balance, if any, after deducting the price so fixed from the original sale amount. A registered notice should be issued to the defaulter intimating the price fixed by the District Forest Officer for the unsold wood and the amount still due from him which will be recovered as arrears of land revenue.

6. The deposits tendered by the unsuccessful bidders shall be returned immediately after the sales are concluded, those of the successful bidders being lodged in the Savings Bank as security deposit.

7. No timber lot shall be permitted to be removed by the purchaser unless it has been paid for in full, calculated at the rates at which the timber is knocked down to him at the time of sale, and no timber shall be removed from the depot unless a permit is obtained from the Forest Officer in charge of the depot.

8. Timber purchased should be removed as early as possible, and in no case should it be allowed to remain longer than 90 days from the date of sale. Timber not removed after purchase will remain in the depot at the risk of the purchaser from the date of the confirmation of the sale.

9. If the timber is not removed within the time allowed, the same may, after ten days' notice to the purchaser, be sold in public auction and the proceeds will be given to the purchaser after defraying all the expenses in connection with the resale.

10. The deposit of Rs. 200 will remain as security deposit for the due fulfilment of all and every one or the terms of the sale, for the breach of any of which by the purchaser, the District Forest Officer shall be entitled to forfeit the deposit in whole or in part and in the event of such forfeiture, the sum so forfeited shall be immediately made good by the purchaser so long as the transaction is not finally closed. The security deposit or the balance thereof, if any, shall be returned to the purchaser after the full value of timber purchased has been paid for and the timber fully removed.

M. G. VENKATA RAO,
District Forest Officer.

SAGAR FOREST DIVISION.

Notification dated 25th May 1935.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Sagar, up to 2 P.M., on the 17th June 1935, for the preparation and assortment of Sandalwood into 18 classes in the following Sandal Koti of the Division during the year 1935-36. The approximate quantity to be prepared in the Koti is noted below.

Sagar Sandal Koti .. .. 150 tons.

N.B.—The work of preparation and assortment will include weighing out and taking of rough Sandalwood, smooth dressing of the same, assorting the outturn into 18 classes, weighing them and stacking them into lots of five tons or more inside the koti rooms.

The contract will be for 12 months ending 30th June 1936.

2. Tenders should be registered, insured and superscribed as "Tender for the preparation of Sandalwood" in the koti. The tender should be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 50 (rupees fifty) in currency notes. The rate to be quoted should be per ton of assorted wood.

3. The District Forest Officer will be at liberty to accept or reject the lowest tender without assigning any reason therefor.

4. Within eight days from the date of intimation of the fact of acceptance, the successful tenderer shall furnish a security of Rs. 100 (one hundred) including the initial deposit referred to above in the shape of Mysore Government Savings Bank Account, duly pledged in favour of the District Forest Officer, Sagar, and execute an agreement on a duly stamped paper of proper value procured at his cost to observe the following conditions :—

5. The earnest money of all the unsuccessful tenderers will be duly returned to them in person or at their cost if by post.

Conditions.

(*a*) That the contractor shall be ever ready during the period of contract to employ as many number of coolies who know how to work at sandal so as to turn out the allotted quantity every week, fortnight or month as may be assigned.

(*b*) That in case the contractor fails to employ the number of coolies required to turn out the allotted quantity of prepared wood at any time, the officer in charge of the Koti shall make his own arrangements for the preparation of the wood by employing coolies making the contractor liable to pay up the cost even though it may happen to be extra. The contract will also be liable for cancellation at the discretion of the District Forest Officer on account of default.

(*c*) The Koti preparation work will be commenced at 8 A.M., and continued till 6 P.M. every day with an interval of an hour or two from 12 noon.

(*d*) The available tools in the Koti shall be spared for work and in case the number of coolies are more than the number of tools available, the contractor should himself provide the extra tools required. The tools spared from the Government should be returned in tact as otherwise the cost thereof will be deducted from out of the contractor's dues or from his security deposit amount.

(*e*) That the contractor should be present at the Sandal Koti at all times the preparation is going on and he shall be solely responsible for all commissions and omissions by his coolies.

(*f*) That the Koti preparation will be done in strict conformity with the assortment rules and as per directions of the officer in charge of the Koti. That the rough wood to be given will be lotwar and until such lots once given are all fully worked out and assorted, no further fresh lots will be given out for preparation.

(*g*) That payments will be made to the contractor after the wood is prepared, classified, weighed, and put into lots in the Koti lot room once every month, generally at the close of the month. The assortment includes the putting up into lots of white wood also.

(*h*) That no smoking will be permitted anywhere in the precincts of the Sandal Koti building and that in case of danger to the Sandalwood by fire the contractor will be liable to the department for damages which will be recoverable as if it were an arrear of land revenue.

(*i*) That the contractor and his coolies will submit to the disciplinary measures that may have to be enforced by the Koti officer during working hours.

(*j*) That for failure to fulfil all or any of the foregoing conditions, the contractor shall be liable for such fine as the District Forest Officer at his discretion may levy in addition to the forfeiture of the security deposit to Government. Such fine is recoverable as an arrear of land revenue.

(*k*) That the contractor shall agree to the rounding of payments of his bill into annas and rupees as per rules.

N.B.—(1) As a rule, higher rates are payable for the superior classes of prepared wood than for chilta classes. Hence two different rates should be quoted in the tender, one for the outturn of superior classes and the other for chips and milva chilta since the object aimed at is that care should be taken by the contractor to see that the Koti preparation work is conducted so as not to waste heartwood by conversion into chips.

(2) In case of billetted rough wood issued for preparation, a rate of Re. 1-4-0 per ton incurred on account of billetting will be deducted out of the rate accepted for preparation.

Notification dated 25th May 1935.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Sagar, up to 2 P.M., on the 17th June 1935, for the carting of prepared Sandalwood from the following Sandal Koti to the Railway Station at Anandapuram and loading the same in the waggons during the year 1935-36.

Name of Koti	Name of Railway Station	Distance to be carted
Sagar Koti	Anandapuram Railway Station	15 miles

N.B.—(i) The approximate quantity of wood to be carted is 150 tons which may be increased or decreased at the discretion of the District Forest Officer.

(ii) Carting includes weighing out the sandalwood intended for despatch, counting billets and loading them into carts, unloading the wood from carts at the Railway Station.

(iii) In the case of chiltas, it also includes preparation of double gunny bags, filling chiltas in bags and duly stitching them afterwards.

2. Tender should be registered, insured and superscribed as "Tender for the carting of sandalwood from.....Koti to Anandapuram Railway Station and loading into waggons." The tender should be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 50 in Currency Notes. The rate to be quoted should be per ton of Sandalwood acknowledged by the Factory.

3. The District Forest Officer will be at liberty to accept or reject the lowest tender without assigning any reason therefor.

4. Within fifteen days from the date of intimation of the fact of approval, the successful tenderer shall furnish a security of Rs. 200 including the initial deposit, in clause (2) above in the shape of Mysore Government Savings Bank Account, duly pledged in favour of the District Forest Officer, Sagar Division, and execute an agreement binding himself to observe the following conditions :—

Conditions.

(*a*) That he will be ever ready, during the period of contract, to provide the required number of carts for the despatch of sandalwood whenever called upon.

(*b*) That in case of failure on his part to furnish the required number of carts at the required time, the Officer in charge of the Koti may make his own arrangements for despatch of the wood, making the contractor liable to pay up the extra cost, if any, that may have to be incurred. The contract will also be liable for cancellation at the discretion of the District Forest Officer on account of such default.

(*c*) The loading and unloading of sandalwood will be done so as not to give room for leakage or damage of sandalwood, and that in either case, the contractor will be liable to the department for the loss so sustained.

(*d*) That all the loaded carts will leave the Koti at the same time and move on, in one batch, under the supervision of the departmental subordinates to be deputed to guard the consignment.

(*e*) That the cartmen do not smoke, either in the Koti or while the sandalwood is in transit, and that in case of danger to the sandalwood by fire, the contractor will be liable to the Department for damages.

(*f*) That his coolies and cartmen will submit to the disciplinary measures that may have to be enforced by the Koti Officer during the working hours.

(*g*) That, for failure to fulfil all or any of the foregoing conditions, the contractor will be liable for such fine as the District Forest Officer at his discretion may levy, forfeiting the security deposit to Government.

(*k*) The contractor shall agree to the rounding off of payments of bills into annas and rupees as per rules in force.

Notification dated 25th May 1935.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Sagar Division, Sagar, up to 2 P.M. on the 17th June 1935 for collecting, rough-dressing and preparing dead sandalwood and ground-hidden roots in all the Ranges of the district and carting the same to the Koties during the year 1935-36 as detailed in the sub-joined table :—

Serial No.	Name of Range	Where to be carted	Remarks
	Sagar Koti.		
		Tons.	
	Shikarpur Range	30	
	Sorab	50	
	Sagar	40 } Sagar Koti.	
	Nagar	30	
	Karadibetta	25	
	Total ..	175	

1. The contract will be for one year ending with 30th June 1936.

2. Tenders may be submitted either separately for each Range or for any number of Ranges together and should specify the rate per ton offered separately for sandalwood and separately for ground-hidden roots.

3. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 50 (rupees fifty) for each Range in Currency Notes as earnest money, in default of which, the tender will be rejected. Covers containing the tender should be addressed to the District Forest Officer, Sagar Division, Sagar, duly

registered, insured and superscribed "*Tender for the collection and carting of Sandalwood and ground-hidden roots.*"

4. The final acceptance of any tender will rest with the District Forest Officer who does not bind himself to accept the highest or any tender and to assign any reason whatsoever for rejecting the same.

5. The acceptance of any tender will be duly communicated to the successful tenderer and the earnest money of other tenderers will be returned to them.

6. The successful tenderer shall execute a bond on a proper stamped paper embodying the terms enumerated here below within a week of the receipt of the orders and shall deposit in Government Savings Bank a sum of Rs. 200 as earnest money for the due fulfilment of the terms of the contract. The deposit referred to here shall also include the earnest money referred to in para 4 *supra*.

Conditions.

(*a*) The collection of dead sandalwood and ground-hidden roots shall be extended to all State Forests, District Forests, Amrut Mahal Kavals, assessed and unassessed Government waste lands and to such of Inam, Jodi, Kayamgutta and Sarvamanya villages as of which, the holders are not entitled to the sandalwood either by sannads or judicial decrees.

(*b*) With regard to the removal of sandalwood from private holdings, only such of the trees as have been marked by the departmental subordinates shall be removed with the previous written permission of the Range Officer.

(*c*) The collection shall be confined to dead, fallen and decaying sandal trees and to ground-hidden roots. On no account shall green and mature trees be uprooted. Axes should not, as far as possible, be used in the uprootal and rough preparation of sandalwood.

(*d*) The Sandalwood uprooted shall be roughly dressed in the jungle leaving a thin layer of less than half an inch of whitewood and shall be carted to the Koti. Each consignment to the Koti shall be covered by a passport issued by the departmental subordinates.

(*e*) The contractor shall further bind himself to collect and cart two-thirds of the contracted quantity before the end of December 1935 and the balance by the 30th June 1936.

(*f*) The successful tenderer shall see that no injury is caused to the State Forest or property situated therein in the course of his operations and in the event of any such occurring through his negligence or of his men, he shall be made liable as per departmental rules.

(*g*) Should the collection and carting of sandalwood to the Koti be found unsatisfactory, the District Forest Officer will immediately cancel the contract and shall make other arrangements for working out the contracted quantity at the risk of the contractor.

(*h*) For the breach of any or all of the above conditions, the contractor shall forfeit the earnest money referred to in para 7 *supra* and portion of moneys due to him for collection and carting of Sandalwood made and not disbursed.

(*i*) Payment of charges shall be made as per procedure now in practice upon the sandalwood and ground-hidden roots received in the Koti and duly weighed out there and for which Koti receipt is produced.

M. A. MUTHANNA,
District Forest Officer.

CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification.

The attention of the intending purchasers is drawn to pages 1058-1059 of Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 16th May 1935, notifying sales of Tupra leaves for 1935-38.

Sale Notification dated 22nd—23rd May 1935.

It is hereby notified for general information, that 100 Dindiga Poles found on the Demarcation Line of Marikanive State Forest and whose propriety has not been established to this date, has been classed as Government Timber, and will be sold by public auction by the Range Forest Officer, Hiriyur, on 20th June 1935 subject to the following conditions at Vanivilasapura.

The Poles are in the custody of Mr. Rangaiah, Patel of Vanivilasapura.

(1) The sale will commence at 2 P.M. and shall be subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer, Chitaldrug.

(2) Each bidder shall, before he is permitted to bid, deposit a sum of Rs. 10 with the Officer conducting the sale.

(3) Immediately after the sale, the full sale amount with cesses thereon at Re. 0-1-0 local, Re. 0-0-6 education and Re. 0-0-6 railway shall be paid by the person whose bid is accepted

(4) The poles shall be removed within 15 days from the date of confirmation of the sale covered by a pass issued by the Range Officer.

D. NARASIMHAMOORTHY RAO,
District Forest Officer.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

BUREAU OF SANITARY ENGINEERING, BANGALORE.

Notification dated 23rd May 1935.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the Sanitary Engineer, Bureau of Sanitary Engineering, Bangalore, up to 1 P.M., on 24th June 1935, for constructing drains in Tumkur Town. An approximate estimate of quantities is given below. These quantities are not guaranteed. The work should be completed by 31st August 1936.

2. The plans, detailed estimate and conditions may be seen at the Sanitary Engineer's Office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 5 P.M. on all office days.

3. Tenders should be submitted on printed forms which may be obtained from the Sanitary Engineer. The tenders should be accompanied by a statement in the form given below, showing the rates at which the different items specified will be executed.

4. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 5,000 in cash (no cheques will be accepted) as earnest money, and be superscribed "Tender for constructing drains in Tumkur Town" in default of which the tenders will be rejected.

5. The final acceptance of the tender will rest with the Director of Health in Mysore who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender or to assign any reason whatever for the rejection of any tender.

6. Within eight days of the acceptance of the tender, the successful competitor will be required to execute the usual contract bond, in default of which his tender will be considered cancelled and his earnest money will be forfeited.

7. The name of the successful competitor, whose tender has been accepted, will be posted on the Notice Board in the Sanitary Engineer's Office in due course. No enquiries regarding the acceptance or rejection of a tender will receive any reply.

8. On acceptance of one of the tenders, the earnest money on rejected tenders will be returned.

9. Charges on account of scaffolding materials, implements for setting out, barricading, clearing site, supply of water, etc., that may be found necessary during execution will not be paid for separately but should be borne by the contractor.

10. Rates for non-tendered and non-estimated items shall be as per schedule rates of the department or those fixed by the Sanitary Engineer after working out data with not more than 10 per cent for contractor's profit.

11. In all matters not specifically provided for and in all matters of disputes about rates, quantities, measurements, quality of work, etc., and in all disputes of any kind, the decision of the Director of Health will be final and legally binding.

Abstract estimate of quantities of work for constructing drains in Tumkur Town.

Sl. No.	Particulars	Unit	Quantity
1	Constructing drains with size stone in surki mortar on surki concrete bed and forming drain in the centre of concrete bed, ½" cement plastering over the curved surface and providing slabbed flooring with cement pointing the joints as per designs available in this office including earthwork for the drain		
	Design No. I	R.ft.	1,050
	Do No. II and V	,,	1,680
	Do No. III	,,	400
	Do No. IV	,,	100
	Do No. VI	,,	450
	Do No. VII and VIII	,,	2,750
	Do No. IX	,,	1,200